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In re U.S. Patent Application of )  
BOURGES )  
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Application No. 10/595,905 )  
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Filed: November 16, 2004 (PCT filing ) No. PCT/FR2004/002918  
date) )  
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For: System for Connecting Two Shafts )  
in Translation )

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL  
OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 20, 2007**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 20, 2007.

The Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making this response due on or before **December 20, 2007**. Applicant believes there is no fee due at this time. Should fees be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees or credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are attached and include 1 replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.